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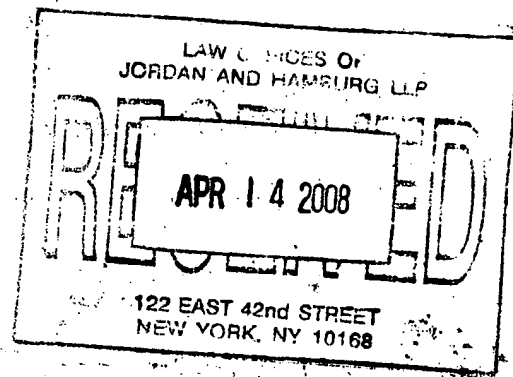


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NOTIFICATION OF DEFECTIVE RESPONSE

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated Office (37 CFR 1.494):

- Priority Document
- Copy of the International Application filed on 09/28/2006
- English Translation of the IA filed on 09/28/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 09/28/2006
- Preliminary Amendments filed on 09/28/2006
- Information Disclosure Statements filed on 09/28/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 10/29/2007
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 09/28/2006
- Substitute Specification filed on 09/28/2006
- Assignment filed on 10/31/2006
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- Non-English Language Application filed on 09/28/2006
- Specification filed on 09/28/2006
- Claims filed on 09/28/2006
- Abstracts filed on 09/28/2006
- Drawings filed on 09/28/2006



Applicant's response filed 10/29/2007 is hereby acknowledged. The following requirements set forth in the NOTIFICATION of MISSING REQUIREMENTS mailed 09/25/2007 have not been completed.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
 - Declaration filed 10/26/06 list the following inventors, Izumi Watanabe, Ryoichi Yamada, and Takeshi Uchida. Inventor Hideaki Yoshida not listed.

Applicant is required to complete the response within a time limit of ONE MONTH from the date of this Notification or within the time remaining in the response set forth in the Notification of Missing Requirements, whichever is the longer. No extension of this time limit may be granted under 37 CFR

1.136, but the period for response set in the Notification of Missing Requirements may be extended under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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